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In re application of:

Durden **Group Art Unit:** 2617

Application No. 09/752,267 **Examiner:** MA, Johnny

Filed: December 29, 2000 **Docket:** BS00025

Title: "Methods and Systems For Controlling Consumer Electronics External Devices Via Data Delivered To A Device"

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AMENDMENT

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The Assignee respectfully requests entry of the following amendment in response to the April 20, 2006 office action. Examiner Ma indicates that claims 8 and 23 would be allowable if rewritten. The Assignee, then, presents this amendment to put the pending claims in a condition for allowance.